LOCAL NEWS.

THE ARROW. - During the forious storm of igst Saturday night the steamer Arrow was garcht on her way up from Mount Vernon, anth a large number of passengers on board, but though the wind blew with the force of a let house, and indeed, so furiously as to permit authing to stay up in her upper deek, the gamen little steamer, under the command of her gallant captain, Frank Hollingshead, weathared the storm and reached her port- Washington-safely, and but little behind time, thereby justly winning the praise and gratitude of on board, not a few of whom had been by b) means slightly alarmed. She had to put on so much extra steam that everything about the engine room and boiler was hot, but by that means, and by keeping her head right in the face of the wind, she was enabled to make the trip. It has been said by some few that the A row was getting too old to be serviceable, but it her exploit on the night of the 4th don't entitle her to the credit of an A No. 1 sea-going boat, as one of the hands on board of her says, I'd like to know what it do.'

In this connection it may be mentioned that on the Arrow's trip to Mount Vernon yesterday, when she was about two miles below Fort Washington, an unfortunate dog fell overboard. He first struck out for the rapidly receeding steamer, theu for the shore, more than a mile distant, but seemingly fearing that he could not swim that far, he turned and swam towards a vessel that was coming down the river but which was as far from him as the shore. He made but little headway in that direction, however, ere he turned again towards the steamer, and then apparently having been berett of all sense or instinct, swam around in a circle, and then by means of a lorgnett was seen to sink beneath the waves. The accident was observed by many, but by none of them with any apparent interest. One man came upon the upper deck and looked at the drowning dog a little longer, perhaps, than any of the others, and was asked if he owned the dog. He responded in the affirmative, but when he was told that his dog must surely die, because it would be impossible for it to swim ashore, he replied, well, if he does reach there, the people in that neighborhood will be very sorry, for he's the greatest chicken thief that ever was And even so it is with two legged dogs in the advanced civilization of the 19.h century. Let a poor feilow "fall overboard"-metaphorically speaking-and those who know him will recede from him as the boat did from his four legged engener; if he endeavors to obtain help from those who do not know him, he finds it as impossible, notwithstanding all his efforts, as the dog did to reach the shore, por will his exertions be treated with more concern than were those of the dog by the approaching vessel. And, what is worse, the end of the comparison even holds good, for should he by hook or by crook succeed, his old "friends" will say as the owner of the dog said, "time will find him out. and his new friends will be very sorry they have had anything to do with him, or that he landed in that neighborhood." Moral-don't fall overboard.

THE STORM ON THE POTOMAC. - The Washington Star says:

The steamers Georgeanna and Lady of the Lake left their wharves at Washington on Saturday morning, each crowded with passengers for the different landings. Many of the excur-Lookout- to witness the camping out in tents of | before he could be gotten out again. the Sixth Maryland militia. The storm extendal all the way down to Chesapeake Bay Georg anna was struck by the gale while attempting to make a landing at Marshall's, below Piney Point, and after several ineffectual attempts finally succeeded in getting her cable lines made fast to the wharf. By this time the wind had so increased that the strong four-inch ropes broke as fast as they could secure them to the wharf. The boat was then headed up to the wharf to be made fast instead of the usual broadside position. Captain Davis here determined to by by for the night instead of proceeding to Point Look ut as first intended. After getting her fast by means of five different hawsers, all en board betook themselves to their staterooms and cabins to shelter themselves from the rain and hail, which was coming down in torrents, with very sharp lightning and heavy thunder. A sudden change in the direction of the wind and increase in power snapped all the lines sgain, and the steamer floated off towards the bay without steam sufficient to direct her course. Quite a panic here took place, as by means of the vivid flashes of lightning the passengers became aware of the situation. Men and women went for their life preservers in great haste. There were plenty of them, and some of the men strapped two or three on themselves and their wives and children. There was no need for them, as it proved, for Captain Davis and his officers made themselves lively for a while in assuring all that there was no danger. The Captain ordered steam to be got up at once, which was done by means of such combustibles as they had on board, and got the steamer under control just in time to save her from grounding. Finally she was returned to the wharf at Marshall's and the number of lines increased. This time she remained firm through the duration of the gale and successive storms, some five or six in number, one after another. At daylight yesterday morning she got under way and went down to Point Lookout. The Lady of the Lake weathered out the storm in the channel and arrived at her destination, Point Lookout, on Sa . uiday night Mr. George H. Plant, the proprietor, was in board the Lady of the Lake, and states that the storm was one of the worst he ever saw on the Bay.

POLICE REPORT. - The following cases have been reported at police hear quarters since yes-

Jeseph Humphries, colored, on complaint of his wife, swore off from the use of intoxicating drinks.

William Eppler, for disorderly conduct and fighting at the upper end of King street, was fined and discharged.

J. E. Coyley, for the same offence, being unable to pay fine, was sent out of the city. Sarah Fortune, colored, for abusing the dog

catchers, was fined and discharged. Sarah Bell, colored, committed to the work house, was released on bail.

The above cases were before the Mayor. Jesse Roy, Henry Mason, David Mason, and Cato Thompson were arrested by constable Howard, of Fairfax county, for riotous conduct. The affair originating within the city and ending at Hunting Creek, the parties were all arrested in the city, and by the desire of plaintiffs and defendants the case was turned over to Justice Padgett, who heard it and awarded fines and costs, and all hands left the office apparently satisfied, but the funds were to be forthcoming and demanded by the Justice, and consequently all the parties were ac-

fines were paid. There were no lodgers at the station house

commodated at the station house until the

EXCURSION TO OCCOQUAN.-There is in prospect for the people of Alexandria a rare treat. At the last meeting of the Directors of termined to give an excursion for the benefit of the Library to Occoquan. Many of our citizens have never visited this beautiful and romantic spot, and are not aware of the wonderful gifts that nature has bestowed upon it. In picturesque scenery it rivals Harper's Ferry, which an English traveler declared was the loveliest was the reason that it has not been more frequently visited by excursion parties. The Library Company have chartered a large and 3 tierces EUREKA SUG. orary Company have chartered a large and commodious steamer, and will have an excellent brass band in attendance. In going to Occupan you pass by the old town of "Colchester," one of the first settled towns of Virginia, the remains of which can be still seen, and pass the remains of which can be still seen.

under the magnificent bridge of the Fredericksburg Railroad. From this point the railroad can be seen skirting the river for a distance of 12 miles. The day for the excursion has not yet been determined on, but will probably be the latter part of this week or the first of next. Samuel H. Janney, esq , has charge of the part theater, tearing off planks from around her arrangements for the excursion, which is a guarantee of its complete success.

> Mosby Stock at Discount .-- At a rather numerously attended meeting of the Radicals of the city held at the Old Court House last night, John A. Seaton was in the chair and A. W. Harris secretary.

> Speeches were made by J. B. Syphax, delew. Mitchell, R. L. Mitchell, R. D. Ruffin and A W. Harris, and resolutions adopted unanimously endorsing a letter of Syphax's in which he says : - "Let us respect the majority of Republicans in our district; let the people be heard and de ermine for themselves what their interests demand. Alexandria wants an expression; she wants to be heard before her distinctive Republican principles are shipwrecked. I have discharged my duty in the premises so far and will be pleased to communicate with you touching the time and place of holding a Congressional convention, according to established custom, which is in keeping with the Republican sentiment of Alexandria," and calling upon the other counties in the district for a convention to nominate a regular Radical candidate.

THE DOG CART. -The dog cart is still on its rounds, but the dogs appear to have, at last, learned a little sense, and now keep pretty well concealed during the day, but at night they make up tor it, and such howling as is then carried on, has rarely been heard in this cityprobably, however, lamentations for lost friends and relatives; if not the cart should be taken off during the day and put on at sundown. Up to this time seventy unfortunate curs of all degrees, who went forth in the morning certain ther little excursions would be marred by nothing more serious than a difference with one of their own kind, have gone to the glue factoryseveral have been ransomed by their owners, and seven yet remain in the pen at the Poor's House, anxious speculators upon the vicisitudes of canine life.

LAW SUIT DECIDED. - Wm. N. McVeigh vs. Richard Windsor. In this case at the April term of the Corporation Court of this city a judgment was given in favor of the plaintiff for the premises in possession of defendant, on the north side of King, between Patrick and Alfred streets, belouging to the plaintiff, and sold at United States tax sale. The defendant presented a petition to the Court of Appeals for a supersedeas to said judgment, which was refused on the 24th day of June, 1874, by the judges, for reasons set forth in the decision of the Court of Appeals in the case of Underwood vs. McVeigh.

RUNAWAY. - The horse attached to the buggy of Mr. Emanuel Francis became alarmed at a passing railroad train near the canal basin, yesterday afternoon, broke away from Mr. Geo. Uhler, who was in the buggy but had jumped out, and was holding him by the head, and running off, smashed the buggy, tore away a part of the steps of Mr. Summers' store, and was not stopped until he had jumped into the house of a brick kiln, and that through a hole sionsts went to the terminus of the trip-Point so small that two planks had to be knocked off

> PERSONAL. - Mr. J. W. Marshall, the ne ly appointed Postmaster General, is now, and has been for some time past, a resident of this city, occupying the handsome dwelling, known as Colross, erected near the old Court House by the late Judge Thompson F. Mason, and for many years the hospitable and fashionable residence of that gentleman and his late accomplished lady. The new occupant, though not as well known to his neighbors as the old, is justly admired and respected.

INSTALLATION. - The following named officers of Mechanics' Lodge, No. 3, K. of P., were installed at their hall, Muir's building, last night, by D. D. G. C., W. H. May: P. C., O. F. Baggott; C. C., J. W. Atkinson; V. C., G. W. Heishley; Prelate, J. H. Thompson; Outside Steward, J. W. Starnell; Inside Steward, J. H. Mansfield; Attendants, E. T. Steele, John Kesler, Freeman Mansfield, and R. H. Wade.

BLOWN DOWN. - Among the buildings blown down, in Washington, during the 4th of July sterm, was the planing mill and sash factory of Smith, Unler & Co., which had just been removed from this city. The building was not completed, the walls only having been erected and the roof not on. The machinery was in the house, and, without that was injured, which is as yet unknown, the damage will be slight.

Fire Company will be held at their hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. A regular meeting of the Hydraulion Steam

MEETINGS. - A meeting of Columbia Steam

Fire Company will be held at their hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

COMPROMISED. -The long standing chancery suit of Fisher vs. Gray, which involves the title to the Sebastian Spring farm, in Alexandria county, has at last been compromised by Messrs, F. R. Windsor and Robert C. Fox, to the mutual satisfaction of the parties intesested.

PLEASANT EXCURSION. -The German School made an excursion to Carlin's Springs yesterday, which was numerously attended, and which is represented by all who were present as one of the most agreeable affairs of the kind that has occurred this summer.

August Flower.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Com-plaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effect, such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, impure blood, heartburn, water brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of the food after cat-ing, low spirits, &c. Go to the Drug Store of HENRY COOK & CO. and get a 75 ct. bottle, or a sample bottle for 10 cts. Try it. G. G. GREEN, Sole Manufacturer,

Woodbury, N. J je 22-eo3m

TO STREET CONTRACTORS.

Scaled proposals will be received until SAT-URDAY, July 18th, instant, at 12 o'clock m., for GRADING COLUMBUS STREET from its intersection with King street northward to Montgomery's reet, over its entire width from building lines, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the Board of Public Works, and for SETTING CURB STONES of not less than 4 inches thick, and 18 inches wide, and 3 feet long, and PAVING, including gutthe Alexandria Library Company, it was de- ter, 3 feet from the curb, with good hard rock, not less than 3 inches nor more than 5 inches thick, and not less than 6 inches long, and 6 inches deep. Contractors can bid for a part or all of the work. No money will be paid until one fourth of the work has been done, and 25 per cent will be retained until the completion and acceptance of the work by the Board. The Board reserves to themselves the right to accept spot he had ever visited. The banks are shady and cool, and the fishing excellent. Up to a stothem may seem best. Bidders will pre short time ago there was no way of getting to sent samples of curbing and paving stone they short time ago there was no way of getting to propose to use.

JNO. B. SMOOT, Ocception, except by private conveyance, which jy 7-td Pres't. Board of Public Works. jy 7-td

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The New York Officials.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK. July 7. - The grounds on which counsel for Tammany Hall yesterday asked for the indictment of Mayor Havemeyer are that he violated the charter in evading the duty imposed on him by refusing to investigate the charges made against the police commissioners and by reappointing them without having conducted such investigation. They also urged that as the commissioners became ineligible to office by reason of conviction, it was an evasion of duty that would constitute a violation of section 95 of the charter for the Mayor to appoint Gardner to the position formerly held by Charlick and Charlick to that held by Gardner. They also took the ground that the appoint ment of these men, when the Mayor knew they were ineligible, was contrary to law, and of it self a misdemeanor. Before the Assistant Attorney General left the city for Albany he gave Col. Wingate a communication addressed to District Attorney Phelps, calling his attention to the gravity of the charges against the Mayor and Police Commissioners Gardner and Charlick, and asking him to lend his aid in procur ing indictments against them from the grand jury and in bringing the cases to trial as speedily as possible. The District Attorney expressed his willingness to aid in procuring the indictments and in the prosecution of the cases when brought to trial. It is understood that strong points made by counsel against the Mayor are that on three occasions he has refused to investigate the charges against the commissioners when it was plainly his duty to do so. A party of gentlemen consisting of Henry L. Cliuton, Col. George N. Wingate, John H. Strahan, and probably Hon. John Kelley and Alderman Octendorfer, will leave this city for Albany to night to lay before the Governor their reasons for desiring the removal of the Mayor and convicted police commissioners. The Mayor seems impressed with the gravity of the occasion, but nevertheless declares that he has acted for the best throughout and under legal advice. There was a rumor yesterday that he contemplated resigning. He was asked if there was any truth in the allegation and replied there was none. He thought that with patience everything would come out all right. Hon. Alex. H. Stevens.

Augusta, Ga., July 7.—In response to a letter from a number of citizens, Hou. Alex. H. Stevens announces his determination not to be a candidate for re-election to Congress on account of failing health. If he does not improve during the summer he will resign his seat in the present Congress in time for the unexpired term to be filled at the same time that the election shall be held for a member to represent his district in the next Congress. Mr. Stevens is so feeble from an attack of rheumatism as not to be able to be out of doors but twice in six weeks.

Murderous Assault. CINCINNATI, O., July 7 .- J. William Johnstop, under arrest for burglary at Yellow

Springs Ohio, made a murderous assault yes-

terday upon town Marshal Hommelin, who in self defence, shot and killed Johuston. Relief for Sufferers.

St. Paul, Minn., July 7.—The Court commissioners of this county yesterday appropriat. ed \$5,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the

grasshopper plague. Died of Her Iujuries. SYRACUSE, July 7.-Miss Carrie Ostrander,

one of the injured in the Baptist Church disaster of June 23, died last evening, making the

The Weather in England. LONDON, July 7-2 p. m.-The weather

throughout England to-day is fair. Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, July 7, 11 a. m. For the Middle States, clear weather will prevail during the rest of Tuesday, with southeast or southwest winds, rising temperature and falling barometer.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Stocks active. Money 24. Gold 93. Flonr dull. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn quiet and steady. BALTIMORE, July 7.—Virginia sixes, old, 30; Virginia sixes, consolidated, 50; West Virginias 11. Cotton quiet; low middlings 161a162. Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat duli; white choice 160; fair to prime do. 150 to 155; choice amber 160 to 162; good to prime red 145 to 155 common to fair do. 130 to 140; Pennsylvania do 145 to 148; Ohio and Indiana do. 138 to 143; Western Spring 130 to 133. Corn firm; white Southern 92; yellow Southern 85; mixed Western, new, 77; old 78!. Oats active; Southern 73; Western mixed 67a68; do. white 70. Rye firmer at 95 to 100. Hay unchanged. Provisions quiet, but firm, with an advancing tendency. Coffee strong and active; fair to prime Rio cargoes 20½ to 22½. Sugar firm and un-

By F. A. Kerby, [Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.]
ARGE SALE OF DRY GOODS—By virtue of a deed of trust from H. B. Hoomes, the undersigned will sell at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 14th day of July, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., at the store, on King street, adjoining G. E. French's bookstore, a large and varied assortment of FIRST-CLASS DRY GOODS, comprising in part Silks, Woolen Goods Calisons Large Clause Company Company Goods, Calicoes, Luces, Gloves, Carpets, Furs, &c. Terms cash. S. C. NEALE, Trustee. jy 7-td

STATE LICENSES.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.

All persons taking out State licenses for 1874 are hereby notified that the money must be paid to me at my office immediately. Any person who fails to make payment by the 20th of July will be proceeded against according to law. W. D. CORSE, City Treasurer, jy 7-1m Office 59 King street.

SANDI SAND!

I have opened on my premises, Yeates' Garden, a SAND BANK, from which the best Sand for building or paving purposes can be

obtained at very reasonable prices. F. LUDWIG. jy 7-1t

FOR RENT-The LARGE BRICK BUILDING 117 Queen street; suitable for a first class boarding school or bearding house, institutions which are greatly needed in this city; or it will be rented as two residences, to which a second entrance can be effected if desired, making distinct dwellings. Apply on the premises, or address P. O. box 111, Alexandria, jy 7-1m

CARBOLICSCOURING SOAP, unequalled for washing the floors of closets and sinks, and for cleansing and disinfecting clothing after sickness, and for washing animals or fowls infected with fleas or other insects. In 1 lb bars at 25c each. For sale both wholesale and re-

JANNEY & CO. jy 7 ONE OR TWO FAMILIES can be accommodated with BOARD in a pleasant location, near the railway. Terms can be known by applying to S. E. R., at The Plains, Fauquier jy 7-603t 150 BBLS PORTLAND HERRING, for consignment from Boston, for

R. M. LAWSON. DARIS GREEN, for the destruction of pota-

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The wheels of the Columbia Eogine which were returned to the New Haven Wheel Company for repairs, have been put in excellent order and sent back accompanied with a letter in which the proprietors of the works of that company express their regret that such work should have been sent from their shop, and a willingness to pay for any other expense that may be incurred in the painting and such other im-provements to the wheels as it may be desired

to put upon them. Mr. Amos Fox, of Falls Church, Fairfax county, was arrested yesterday, upon the charge of selling liquor without a U.S. revenue license, and brought to this city, where he was taken before Commission Fowler and waiving an examination, was recognized to appear before the grand jury of the U. S. Circuit Court now in

The numerous friends of Lee Holcomb, of this city, who was appointed by President Grant a cadet at the Naval Academy, will be glad to learn that he has passed a most satisfactory examination at Annapolis, and is stationed on board the U. S. ship Santee, now lying at that port.

During the month of July, 17 deeds were recorded in and 9 marriage licenses issued from the office of the Clerk of the County Court. During the same period 41 deeds were record ed in and 9 marriage licenses issued from the office of the Clerk of the Corporation Court.

Supplies of lumber were received at the East Alexandria slip, on the opposite side of the river, this morning, for the purpose of building the wharf for the Quantico steamer and for the coal wharves that are, it is understood, to be established there.

A meeting of those of the country market people who are dissatisfied with the accommodations furnished them in the market house will, it is understood, be held at West End, next Saturday afternoon for the purpose of procuring another site for the sale of their produce.

A one-legged shoemaker named Opley, who ives across the canal locks, was attacked last Friday by some colored women, among whom was one named Betsey Brown, and so badly beaten that for a time it was feared he had received serious injuries.

It is now reported that the work of repairs to the break in the Alexandria Canal at four Mile Ruo, will be completed in six weeks, with favorable weather. In the mean time the coal agencies here are receiving their boats by river, via Rock Creek. Windsor and Ford, yesterday, filed a reple-

vin, in Washington, to recover from the United States Marshal an iron safe, which they claim to be their own property, although levied on by that official as the property of Boughton Mrs. Pleasant, a lady residing near Dranes-

ville, while returning from a festival held at the church in that place, on the night of the 4th, was badly hurt by the upsetting of the wagon over an embankment during the dark. ness, which was impenetrable. A bill amounting to \$3, due this office for

the last fifteen years, and of which all remem-brance and evidence had been lost, was paid this morning, and the interest on it promised to be paid at an early date.

Slight fires on the premises of Mr. Dilger on Royal street, and Mr. Swain's carpenters shop on Prince street, occurred on the 4th, but no alarms were made and no damage occasioned.

The garbage cart is in bad condition, leaking profusely, and leaving behind it, on its way through the streets, a line of slop, the steuch of which is by no means agreeable.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Board of Public Works, elsewhere in to day's Gazette, for proposals for grading, paving and curbing north Columbus street.

Prince William County Court met yesterday but adjourned until to-morrow in order to al low the members of the bar to attend the U. S. District Court now in session in this city. A meeting of the Executive Committee of

the British Settlers' Association will be held at Harmonie Hall to-morrow night. Rev. W. S. Penick, will take formal charge

of the Baptist Church in this city on Sunday The receipts of new wheat from Loudoun

county are increasing. Seventy-five hundred bushels of corn were received in Georgetown yesterday.

Mr. James S. Welch, of the firm of Herr & Welch, millers, has retired to private lite. TUST RECEIVED-Another new style of

PARASOL, very handsome and cheap. D. F. WITMER CO. my 16 DAVIS' "DIAMOND" BRAND SUGAR-CURED HAMS, small sizes, in store and

for sale at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES. VICHY WATER! VICHY WATER! WARFIELD & HALL'S,

Corner Prince and Fairiax streets. SARDINES, in half and quarter boxes, a full supply just received.

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

CHOICE BRANDS OF CIGARS and SMOKING and CHEWING TOBACCOS at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES.

HUBBELL'S PREPARED WHEAT, highly recommended as a diet for children, received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. LUBIN'S EXTRACTS—A fresh supply just

HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King street.

A NOTHER supply of CARBOLIC CAM-PHOR just received by Je 30 HENRY COQK & CO. LIME, CEMENT and CALCINED PLAS-TER, of superior quality, for sale by B. F. PEAKE & CO.

MARYLAND HAMS, for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, Cor. King and St. Asaph street. PRIMESUGAR CURED SMOKED BEEF. for sale by G. W.M. RAMSAY.

3 Cor. King and St. Asaph streets. N EATSFOOT OIL, of prime quantity, just received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. je 29

RUBBER NURSERY CLOTH, cut in squares or half squares to suit, at je 3 FERGUSON'S, 66 King street. A FRESH LOT OF LEMONS just received J. C. MILBURN,

19 N. Royal street. PRIME SUGAR-CURED SHOULDERS for sale by J. C. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal street. jy 6

PRIME PRINT BUTTER always on haud at RAMSAY'S, Corner King and St. Asaph sts. TUST RECEIVED-A lot of CHOICE SUGARS at low prices. y 3 J. C. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal st.

SAPOLIO, for the hand and kitchen, just received by jy3 J. C. MILBURN, 19 N. Royal st. Paris Green, for the destruction of the Petato Bug, for sale by 27 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

BBLS PURE APPLE VINEGAR on hand and for sale by DAVY & HARMON. WANTED-1,000 MOLASSES BARRELS
by CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
my 12 6 Prince street.

W. F. CREIGHTON'S. . jy 6

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE-The BRICK HOUSE and LOT known as the Methodist Protestant Parsonage, situated immediately south of the alley on the south side of the Methodist Protestant ant Church building, on north Washington st. For particulars enquire of JOHN P. EMER-SON, corner of Dake and Payne streets, Alex-

FOR RENT-The HOUSE No. 96 King Possession given on the 1st day of July, 1874. Apply to LOUIS APPICH, No. 175 King st. my 4-coif

FOR RENT-HOUSE, on Payne street, FOR RENT-HOUSE, on Payne street, between Duke and Prince; 11 rooms, water and gas; now occupied by Mr. Lanten. Possession given on the 15th day of March. For

further particulars enquire of SAMUEL H. LUNT, mh 4 N. E. cor. King and Washington sts. FOR RENT-The DWELLING on the corner of Duke and Fairfax streets, formerly occupied by Dr. Murply. Apply to fat 28 tf R. BELL, Jr.

FOR RENT-The STORE and DWEL-LING HOUSE 125 King street, now occupied by Mrs. C. L. Simpson. Possession given on the 1st of January, 1874. For further information enquire of dec 5-tf JNO. B. SMOOT.

EDUCATIONAL.

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SUMMER LAW LYCTURES (nine weekly) begin 13th July, 1874; end 12th Sept. Have proved of signal use: 1st, to students proposing to pursue their studies at this or other law school; 2d, to those who design to study privately; 3d, to young practitioners who have not had the advantage of systematic instruction. For circular apply (P. O. University of Va.) to JOHN B. MINOR, Prof. Com and Stat. Law. je27-twlm

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months, including board, tuition, fuel, lights, washing, &c., about \$200. Students from seventeen States and Territories. For Catalogues and further information, Rev. D. F. BITTLE, D.D., address President. je 23-1m

CLIFFTON PREPARATORY SCHOOL, NEAR MARKHAM STATION, FAUQUIER COUNTY. Terms: \$260 per scholastic year. No extra

charges. Apply to

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P. S.—I have just engaged Mr. JAMES M.

AMBLER as my Assistant, who has this session graduated at the University in Greek, Lating and Georges in and German.

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Prof. Greek Univ. Va

We endorse the above recommendation of Colonel Venable. J. Johns, Bishop of Virginia. F. M. WHITTLE, Asst. Bp. Va. Prof. Mod. Lang. Univ. Va. B. L. GILDERSLEEVE,

WM. E. PETERS, Prof. Latin, Univ. Va. "I take pleasure in recommending Mr. R. J.

Ambler's school to the public." E. S. JOYNES, Prof. Mod. Lang. Wash, and Lee Univ. Markham station, je 4-d2m&twlaw2m

NORWOOD HIGH SCHOOL OPENS SEPTEMBER 15, 1873. Address WM. D. CABELL, Principal,

Norwood P. O. Nelson co., Va.

NOTICE TO CITY TAX-PAYERS. City Collectors' Office, Alexandria, Va., June 26th, 1874.

Notice is hereby given that the tax bills for 1874 are now in the hands of the Collectors, and the attention of all parties interested is respectfully called to the second section of the Revenue bill, which is as follows:
Be it further enacted, That there shall be levied and collected upon all tax bills not paid within thirty days after being put into the hands of the Collectors for collection, two and one half

per cent; upon all such bills not paid within sixty days thereafter, five per cent; and upon all such not paid within ninety days thereafter, ten per cent upon the amount of such bills, respec-Onice: Room No. 6, Royal street front, Mar

ket Building. JNO. T. HILL, Col. N. Dist. S. K. FIELD, Col. S. Dist. je 26-eo3m

MAYOR'S OFFICE, Alexandria, Va., June 15, 1874. Notice is hereby given to all parties requiring license to do business that I shall be in my office, in the Market Building on Royal street, daily from 10 to 2 o'clock, for the purpose of granting

the same. Any merchant, mercantile firm or other person requiring license who shall fail to pay the same on or before the 15th day of July next, shall forfeit and pay five dollars (\$5) and costs for each and every day they shall continue business without paying said license tax after the said 15th day of July.

K. KEMPER, Mayor.

DARLOR ORGANS.

I have on hand a fine assortment of CABINET ORGANS, from the most reputed makers, ranging from

\$85 to \$175. They will be sold on time or with a liberal discount for cash. Call and see them At VICTOR BECKER'S Piano and Music Store, 112 King street, next to the Marshall House, Alexa., Va. ap 2-tf

CORSETS.

A NICE ARTICLE FOR FIFTY CENTS

FERGUSON'S. No. 66 King street.

OFFICE ALEXANDRIA WATER CO. July 3d, 1874.
The stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company are hereby notified that the fourth in-stalment of two dollars per share on each share of the old stock of the company has been ordered by resolution of the Board of Directors, to be paid to the Treasurer, at the office of the company, on or before the 15th inst.

jy 3-eotd T. D. FENDALL, Sect'y.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. I have this day associated with me in busines my son, CHARLES F. ADAM. The JEW ELRY BUSINESS so long conducted in this city by me will in future be conducted under the firm name of W. W. ADAM & SON. jy 1 W. W. ADAM.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va., July Alexandria, Va., July 2, 1874.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual DIVIDEND OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT, (31) payable on and

after July 9.h. wm. H. LAMBERT, Cashier. RASPBERRY, LEMON and GRENADINE SYRUPS for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, King and St. Asaph streets.

King and St. Asaph streets.

AUCTION SALES. PUBLIC SALE OF "HAZEL PLAIN,"
BETTER KNOWN AS THE "CHINN
FARM," NEAR MANASSAS, PRINCE
WILLIAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Under a deed of trust of the 21st of June, 1872, from the administratrix of W. Y. Downman to me, to secure the payment of a debt therein described, I shall, as trustee therein, at the instance of the creditor and the said debtor, offer for sale, at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of August, 1874, at 12 o'clock m, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, the "CHINN FARM," designated in said deed of trust as Hazel Plain, containing 550 acres, threetourths arable, chocolate-colored soil, easily cultivated and productive; the remainder in wood and timber, and the whole well supplied with water. This desirable estate has upon it the famous CHINN HOUSE, a large frame building, with eight rooms, a comfortable log house occupied by the tenants, a stone stable, corn crib and granary of logs; is conveniently near to churches, schools, mills and markets, within five miles of the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R., and in the healthiest section of Prince

William county.

Terms: Cash as to about \$3500, and as to the

Terms: Cash as to about \$3500 and as to the residue a credit of 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale, and deed of trust to secure said deferred payments. The title is believed to be perfect, but selling as trustee I shall convey only such title as is derived from shall convey only such the deed of trust to me.

WM. H. FITZHUGH, Trustee,
Fredericksburg, Va.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer. BY ORDER of the Board of Directors of the German Co-operative Building Association of Alexandria, Va., 1 will offer for sale, at pub-lic auction, in front of Green's Mansion House, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 18th day of July, 1874, at 12 m., a LOT OF GROUND, with a new two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE thereon, on the south side of Commerce street, between West street and the Stone Bridge, in the said city of Alexandria, fronting 40 feet on Commerce street, and in depth 82 feet 2 inches. Terms made known on the day of sale, and a

plot of the property exhibited. jy 3 eots JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Sect'y jy 3 euts [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

MARKET FARM FOR SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at its June term, 1874, in the suit of Joseph Bruin, use of C. L. Mancins, against Thomas Javins, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will offer at pub-tic auction, on SATURDAY, the 1st day of August, 1874, between 12 and 1 o'clock of that day, at Catts' Tavern, West End, Fairfax county, Virginia, that highly cultivated and valuable MARKET FARM belonging to and now in the possession of Thomas Javins, containing 574 acres of land, lying on the Little River turnpike, about 2 miles west of Alexandria. The land is

well improved with good buildings, and is a most desirable tarm. Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of suit and sale, and the residue in three equal annual instalments, payable in one, two and three years, with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser to give bond, with good personal security, for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid. The said commissioners are also authorized to dispose of said property at private sale, and they, or either of them, will receive proposals therefor up to the day of sale aforesai i. If any of said bids should be accepted, the sale will be subject to the rati-

fication or the rejection of the Court. H. W. THOMAS, C. W. WATTLES, D. L. SMOOT,

Farfax county, je 30-ts By F. A. Kerby,

[Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY
OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.—Pursuant to decrees of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, rendered at the June term, 1873, and November term, 1873, in the cause of James M. Wallace vs. Wm. F. Kephart et als., the subscribers, commissioners appointed by the said decrees, will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Mansion House, on Fairfax st., in the city of Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY,

the 18th day of July, 1874, at 12 m., the following described property, to wit:
A LOT OF GROUND on the south side of Duke street, bounded by West Lane on the east and by Hamilton Lane on the west, containing

2 acres and 22 poles.

1t will be sold in four lots of equal size, each fronting on Duke street, and containing about one-fourth of a square.

Terms of Sate; One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue to three equal payments at one, two and three years from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchasers, with approved security,

and the retention of the title to the property until the whole of the purchase money is paid.

JOHN M. ORR

CHAKLES E. STUART.

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Comm'rs. of Sale.

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

CMMISSIONERS' SALE—By virtue of a decree of the Corpo-ation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va, rendered at its June term, 1874, in the suit of B. G. Thomas vs. A. E. Thomas & Co., the undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in said city, on SATURDAY, the 18th day of July, 1874, at 12 o'clock m, the following prop-

erty, to wit:
A LOT OF GROUND on the west side of Payne street, between King and Cameron, be-ginning at a point 10 feet south of the line of the iwelling house now occupied by Mrs. Thomas; thence south on Payne street - feet; thence west - feet; thence north - feet; thence east to the

beginning.
Also ALL OF THAT HALF SQUARE OF
GROUND bound d by Cameron, West and Queen streets. A plat will be exhibited at the ale, and the property sold in lots.

Terms: Cash enough to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and the residue in 6, 12 and 18 months, with the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security for the deferred payments, retaining the title till all the purchase

money is paid. Cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

GEORGE WALKER, ALBERT STUART, Special Commissioners.

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By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

Commissioner's SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., rendered at November term, 1868, in the vs. Jesse Woodward and others, defendants, the undersigned, commissioner, therein na ned, will proceed to sell, by public auction, on FRIDAY, July 3d, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House Hatel, in the city of the suit of The Potomac Building Association, pl'ff., Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, the following described KEAL ESTATE, in

the city of Alexandria.

No. 1-W. B. Nalls' TRACT OF LAND, in Fairfax county, containing about 25 acres being the land of which Francis Hamersley died seized, and which was conveyed to Win. B. Nalis by Wm. Hamersley and James Hamersley with Eliza, his wife, by deed, dated the 17th of July, 1855, lying about 31 miles from the city of Alex. andria, on the Telegraph road.

No. 2-Mary O. Sullivan's LOT, on the south side of Franklin street, at the middle of square, between Water and Fairfax, 25 feet by 50 feet

deep—vacant lot.
No. 3—Chas. B. Shirley's one undivided half of a TWO-STORY FRAME DWEL-LING and LOT, on the east side of Washington street, between King and Prince, next to the Church, 20 ft. by 123 ft. 5 in Jeep, beginning 136 feet 7 inches south of King.

A more particular description of the property

will be given on the day of sale. Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash; the residue in three equal instaiments of 6, 12 and 18 months; the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, and bearing interest, to be taken for the deterred payments, and the title to be retained until they are paid Conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser. C. W. WATTLES, Comm'r.

BELTS! BELTS! WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

The contract of the bottle of Belts made to order, any size, in a few minutes. Leathers and Buckles sold separately, at jy 3 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.